

COLLEGE CAN DOUBLE U. S. STUDENT QUOTA IF BRYAN TAKES HOLD

Three Hundred Additional Soldiers for Vocational Training Would Equal Pay Roll of Mammoth Manufacturing Plant --- Leader Among Moneyed Interests Needed --- Means Greater College and Greater Bryan.

Secretary Eberstadt of the Bryan Commercial club held a conference with Director Nash of the vocational section of A. and M. college yesterday with regard to federal students and was informed by Mr. Nash that hundreds of the vocational students are being sent out every month from the Dallas office, and that a great number of these students really prefer to come to A. and M. college.

It was further stated that the federal students here were well pleased with the work at A. and M. and with the treatment accorded them by Bryan people. This fact suggests the idea that Bryan, perhaps, is standing in her own light in not preparing to care for a total of 500 of these students. There is no doubting the fact but that Bryan business men would contribute liberally to a factory proposition that would insure a monthly pay roll of from \$20,000 to \$30,000, yet no especial effort is being put forth to bring these students to A. and M. which means a pay roll of \$20,000 per month already, and could be raised to \$50,000 per month if the facilities were provided.

There is a great need for a big boarding house or two in Bryan. With the number of visitors here now it is difficult to procure boarding accommodations. Just recently a boarding house was sold for an apartment and fifty boarders were turned out to seek new quarters. With such facilities and a hearty co-operation on the part of the business men it would be possible to bring 500 of these federal students to A. and M. Each single man receives a stipulated salary of \$80 per month and each married man receives \$115 with an additional \$10 if there is a child in the family. All the money is spent right here in Bryan and in the course of twelve months will aggregate a vast sum.

Mr. Nash proposed to Secretary Eberstadt that he go to Dallas and consult with Mr. Doughty, in charge of vocational training, if Bryan can take care of more of the federal students, and make claim for a more liberal assignment of these students to A. and M.

When asked how many the town could procure, Mr. Nash asked how many were wanted, and the secretary promptly said an additional 300 which, with the present 200, would give a total of 500 students. It is not impossible to get this number of students assigned to A. and M. if the college is able to care for them and Bryan people will provide boarding places, homes, light housekeeping rooms and rent houses. Secretary Eberstadt told Mr. Nash to send on just as many as were assigned and that the city would take care of them, but to do it he must have the hearty co-operation of the citizenship.

Secretary Eberstadt suggests that the business men of Bryan make some investigation of the matter and provide places for taking care of the students. He declared that it was an opportunity that Bryan would not get every year and that the city should make the most of it.

The matter will receive the careful consideration of the commercial club and if there is a chance to take care of more federal students an effort will be made to get them.

FIRE DESTROYS TWO WHARVES AND SEVEN STEAMERS AT CANTON

Baltimore, Dec. 3.—Two wharves of the Canton Lumber company at a Canton suburb, the state oyster steamer, Governor McLane, and six other vessels were destroyed by fire early today.

COTTON MARKET

New York Futures.	Closed	Yest'dy	Closed	Today
Dec.	39.70	39.70	39.25	
Jan.	36.90	36.90	36.72	
March	34.93	34.93	34.61	
May	33.20	33.20	32.75	

New Orleans Futures.	Closed	Yest'dy	Closed	Today
Dec.	39.20	39.20	39.44	
Jan.	37.30	37.30	37.08	
March	35.35	35.35	34.98	
May	33.60	33.60	33.10	

Spot Cotton.	Closed	Yest'dy	Closed	Today
New York	40.25	40.25	39.75	
New Orleans	39.50	39.50	40.00	
Houston	41.25	41.25	41.25	
Dallas	47.75	47.75	41.50	
Galveston	42.25	42.25	42.25	

LONE BANDIT BEARS CHARMED LIFE, WILL NOT DIE OF WOUNDS

Bill Carlisle Was Shot Through Lungs Late Yesterday When a Posse of Twenty Men Trained Him to a Ranch House.

Douglas, Dec. 3.—Bill Carlisle, master bandit, will not die, attending physician announced today although he was shot through the lung when captured yesterday by a sheriff's posse. His recovery is but the matter of a few weeks.

Douglas, Wy., Dec. 3.—Two score more years of prison life with a possibility of death in the electric chair confront Bill Carlisle, master bandit and train robber, as he lay in the Douglas hospital with a bullet wound in his right chest while an armed guard hovered in the back ground of nurses to prevent his escape.

Carlisle was shot down in a cabin near here late yesterday by Sheriff A. S. Roach, of Wheatland, when the bandit learned that he was cornered and reached for an automatic pistol to give battle to a posse of twenty that had trailed him since Sunday through a bitter blizzard.

Carlisle escaped from prison on November 15, 1919, and on November 18 held up the Union Pacific limited between Rock River and Medicine Bow, Wyo., and on the same day helped himself to arms and ammunitions from the special train carrying a posse to capture him, and later, Carlisle telegraphed the Union Pacific authorities from Casper, Wyo., ridiculing their detectives.

Immediately following the holdup of the Union Pacific, the greatest man hunt in history was inaugurated with detectives, sheriff posses and a whole troop of cavalry participating. On the day following the holdup seven posses and the troop of cavalry were in the field scouring the wildest of territory in an endeavor to round up the lone-handed outlaw who seemed more like a mythical man. Bold to a degree of brazenry, Carlisle tipped off his maneuvers with letters and telegrams that irritated officers.

A Dare-devil Career.

Bill Carlisle is 29 years old and was born in Chester, Pa.

While he was serving a life-sentence in Wyoming, many persons he had robbed corresponded with him.

Model Prisoner.

He was a model prisoner, and distinguished himself as a needle-work expert. He sought a pardon, but the best he could obtain was the commutation of his sentence to 25 to 50 years.

So he nailed himself up in a shirt-box, was shipped out of prison, and promptly resumed his looting of Union Pacific trains.

Prior to his first capture, he had entertained himself in Denver by taking music lessons and spending his money on the nicest girls he could meet, keeping them lavishly supplied with candy and flowers.

While resting between jobs in Central City, Colo., Carlisle taught a Sunday school class, with zeal and success.

Captured at Ranch.

Carlisle was surrounded at the Frank Williams' ranch, 18 miles southwest of Douglas, and was shot down by Sheriff Roach, after having escaped from the widow Bray's ranch in the Laramie peak country on Sunday. Two posses of twenty men followed his trail from Sunday until Tuesday night through a driving blizzard. As Sheriff Roach entered the Williams home Carlisle reached for a pistol and the sheriff sent a bullet through the bandit's right lung. First aid treatment was given the man and then he was strapped on a horse and carried down the mountain and loaded into an automobile and brought to Douglas.

"In all frankness conditions are serious. Several associations below quotas. Desperate heroism will save us, but that is necessary. Make it the solemn aim of your soul to see that your association raises its quota. Five states already over. It would be terrible for Texas to fail. Press the battle with all your heroic soul. F. S. Groner."

I make this earnest plea with every loyal Baptist of Bryan, Brazos county and Central Texas Baptist association. Will you not make it your soul's desperate business to respond to God's call in this hour of great need. Do this for once and let the world know that God's people love His cause more than they do anything else in all the world. The hour has come. Will you be a defaulter in the cause of God? Let every Baptist answer. JNO. A. HELD.

DEALERS SEEK RELIEF.

Shreveport, La., Dec. 3.—With liquor dealers as the plaintiffs, application for an injunction to restrain federal authorities of the western district of Louisiana from interfering with the sale of liquors in the city of Alexandria, La., was filed here. Judge G. W. Jack immediately instructed attorney to show cause Dec. 9 why an injunction should be issued in the case, and preparations are already being made for their appearance to contest the requested order.

CO-EDS TRYING OUT WALKING "T" AT VARSITY

Austin, Dec. 3.—Approximately 200 girls at the university of Texas are trying out for the walking "T" this season. At present the squad is taking ten-mile hikes.

Fifty-Six Injured in Wreck

Two Pullmans and Two Day Coaches on Denver Train Jumped the Track and Overturned Near Fruitland, North Fort Worth.

Fruitland, Tex., Dec. 3.—Fifty-six persons were injured, two or three probably fatally, when a part of the third section of the south bound Fort Worth & Denver passenger train, number eight, left the rails at 8 o'clock today.

Twelve of the injured are seriously hurt. Two Pullmans, two day coaches and one baggage car were derailed and turned over. A split rail caused the wreck.

A relief train from Fort Worth hurried here and returned to that city immediately with the injured.

EARLY REPORT.

Fort Worth, Dec. 3.—A Denver passenger train was wrecked early today 64 miles north of Fort Worth and twenty-five were hurt, many seriously.

Doctors, medical supplies and nurses were sent from here on a special train to attend the wounded.

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS AWAIT NEWS FROM MEXICO

Washington, Dec. 3.—The state department officials were marking time today awaiting word from Mexico City of the official delivery of the United States' latest note, and subsequent action inspired by it.

LIEUTENANT M'COMB NAMED RECRUITING OFFICER AT DALLAS

Dallas, Dec. 3.—Lieutenant Commander Alexander Macomb, known to thousands of former sailors and marines in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and New Mexico, as commander of the Dallas navy demobilization center, has been appointed commander of the Dallas navy recruiting district, which comprises north Texas. He succeeds Commander Walter Ball, who has been in command of the district for the last two years. Commander Ball will remain here to assist his successor for several weeks before being assigned to other duties, it is announced.

Lieutenant Commander Macomb graduated from Annapolis in the class of 1911 and his first land assignment was with the demobilization office here about six months ago.

DYNAMITE IS STOLEN FROM COAL MINE AND ARRESTS ARE LIKELY

Pittsburg, Kas., Dec. 3.—Arrests in connection with the theft of a quantity of dynamite from the magazine at the mine at Franklin, are expected to be made today, it was said by government agents.

A discovery of the theft was made last night, and a squad of state troops was immediately sent into the territory. The thieves secured seven cases of dynamite and two hundred and forty caps.

Only the regular mine watchman was on guard.

BULL FIGHTING IS RESTORED BY VOTE MEXICAN CHAMBER

Mexico City, Dec. 3.—By an overwhelming vote the Mexican chamber of deputies passed the bill restoring bull fights in Mexico.

A FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION PROBE ORDER RESOLUTION

Washington, Dec. 3.—A general investigation of the federal trade commission was ordered by the senate today. Besides the inquiry into charges made by Senator Watson that the commission is a hot-bed of socialism and bolshevism, the investigators will take up the commission's attitude towards the business interests and its general value as a federal agency.

The inquiry with the trade commission will be conducted by the senate interstate committee of which Cummins is chairman.

MEXICAN SENATE HAS LEFT CARRANZA FREE TO SETTLE TROUBLES

Relations With United States Are Declared "Very Critical" in Secret Session of the Mexican Upper House

Mexico City, Dec. 3.—The solution of difficulties arising out of the international controversy with the United States were entrusted to President Carranza without legislative instruction by the Mexican senate at a secret session here today.

Relations with the United States were declared, during session, as being "very delicate."

BRYAN COUNTRY CLUB NAMED OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR TUESDAY

At the annual meeting of the Bryan Country club new officers were elected and report was made that plans have been adopted and part of the material is on the ground for the new club house, which will give Bryan one of the most modernly equipped club houses in Texas.

The officers for the new year are R. W. Howell, president; J. S. Doane, vice-president; O. E. Saunders, secretary; Travis B. Bryan, treasurer.

The meeting was held at Carnegie library with a large attendance. The report by the building committee showed that plans for a modern \$20,000 club house have been adopted and two car loads of interlocking tile is already on the ground ready for work to begin. Actual construction work will begin about January 1st, it was announced at the meeting.

It was also announced that the golf links would be completed about January 1st and that playing would be in progress immediately thereafter.

The Country Club association has a tract of 100 acres and 22 acres covered with water and well stocked with fish. It is an ideal site for a country club.

PRESIDENT BIZZELL BACK FROM HOUSTON WHERE MET TEACHERS

That the session of the Texas State Teachers' association held in Houston on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week was one of the most largely attended and successful meetings of the association ever held, was the statement made by President W. B. Bizzell who returned from Houston yesterday. "The program possessed unusual merit and many of the leading educators of the country appeared upon the program. The crisis confronting education due to the shortage of teachers and low compensation received was repeatedly stressed during the meeting," said President Bizzell. "The entertainment provided by the school board, superintendent, teachers and residents of Houston was a notable feature of this convention. Perhaps never before has any session of the association been so elaborately entertained as was this association in Houston."

A number of officers and teachers of A. and M. college attended this convention including President W. B. Bizzell, Dean Charles Puryear, Charles E. Friley, registrar; Dr. J. O. Morgan, director of the summer schools; Professor M. L. Hayes and Professors Kraft, Fields and others.

ICE ON WINGS PROVES TOO HEAVY FOR AIRPLANE

Waco, Dec. 3.—The airplane Temple Telegram, flying from Dallas to Temple, was forced to land at Milford, sixteen miles north of Hillsboro, yesterday afternoon, when it became sheeted over with ice and too heavy to fly. In brining the ship down with its extra big cargo of several hundred pounds of ice, considerable damage to the plane resulted. Pilot Russell remained in Milford and will attempt to chop the ice away, make temporary repairs and take the ship on to Temple under its own power.

THREE NEGROES WOUNDED.

Groesbeck, Tex., Dec. 3.—In a shooting scrape in the negro quarter west of town Howard McCaleb was shot through the shoulder and John Tatum was shot in the right side. Officers arrested Charles Vinson, who had also accidentally shot himself. All parties are negroes.

"MEXICAN JUSTICE IS CERTAIN BRAND, CAN'T BE CHANGED" -- JENKINS

Consular Agent Writes From Puebla Penitentiary Declaring Mexican Authorities Are Trying to Cover Up Criminal Responsibility for Allowing City to Go Unguarded and His Trial is Farce.

SEVERANCE OF RELATIONS ASKED

Nashville, Dec. 3.—"I am now in prison because I refuse to give bail for one cent, as I will not compromise with them under any circumstance," W. O. Jenkins declares in a letter received today by John P. Edgerton of Lebanon, Tenn., who was captain of the Vanderbilt football team when Jenkins played at tackle.

Writing in the Puebla penitentiary Jenkins said: "I regret very much the notoriety that has been given my hard luck in being carried away by some bandits, who live near here, but it has been unavoidable, although the incident would have been forgotten if the authorities had not tried to cover up their criminal responsibility, in allowing this city to be unguarded, by charging me with my own abduction, so they have used every means possible to get certain evidence to cover up their absurd pretensions."

"I have never, in all my life, seen such a farce as they are carrying out here, for I have not been allowed to present a single witness in my own behalf though I had them ready and even presented them to the courts, but was told they were not ready to hear them."

"At the present moment, November 21, the secretary of the embassy at Mexico City is here taking this testimony, that it may be presented to the state department in as much as the courts refuse to accept it. I have plenty of testimony to offset any false evidence they can possibly produce, but, as I say, Mexican justice is a certain brand at the present time and it can't be changed."

DECEMBER COTTON SETS NEW RECORD PRICE ON MARKET

New York, Dec. 3.—Another record price was established on the New York cotton exchange when December cotton contracts sold at forty cents a pound on continued covering at the opening of the market.

FRENCHMAN SAYS GERMANS LOCK UP WAR CAPTIVES

Dijon, France, Dec. 3.—Germany still retains French prisoners of war in close confinement, it is claimed by Louis Boucher, French volunteer, taken prisoner at Villers Bretonneux, June 6, 1918, and returned to his home here Tuesday.

AMERICA MUST WAIT; MEXICAN COURTS NOW OBSERVING PRECEPTS

Lima, Peru, Dec. 3.—Newspapers today publish a half column letter from the Mexican legation, giving the Mexican view of the controversy with the United States over Jenkins.

After declaring that the American government must await a definite sentence by the Puebla court, as the Mexican authorities desire to proceed with justice, the legation's letter says: "This cablegram shows that the Mexican government, in this as in all other cases, is proceeding with a strict observance of legal precepts."

WORK OUT DETAILS FOR FOURTEEN PER CENT WAGE INCREASE

Washington, Dec. 3.—Mine operators from all parts of the country gathered here today to work out the details of the fourteen per cent wage increase, suggested by the government for bituminous coal miners.

TEXAS COAL COMPANY ACCEPTS WAGE INCREASE

Wichita Falls, Dec. 3.—Notice that the Belknap Coal company at New Castle, Tex., accepted to the recommendation for a fourteen per cent increase in wages was posted at the company's mines today.

INVESTIGATION AUTHORIZED.

Washington, Dec. 3.—An investigation of the Ford-Newberry senatorial election contest from Michigan was authorized by the senate, which adopted a resolution by Senator Pomere, providing for the inquiry.

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FORMER HUNGARIAN PREMIER DEBARRED FROM THE CASINO

Budapest, Dec. 3.—Count Mychel Karolyi, former Hungarian premier, has been debarred from the National Casino on a charge of having committed treasonable offenses.

SIX-DAY OASIS TURNED INTO SAHARA BY COURT

New Orleans, Dec. 3.—New Orleans, wet since noon last Wednesday by District Judge Rufus Foster's federal court injunction, went dry with equal abruptness at 11 o'clock yesterday when Judges R. W. Walker and W. L. Grubb of the United States circuit court of appeals suspended the injunction and ordered that the wartime prohibition act be in effect once more in the eastern district of Louisiana. The appellate court did not rule on the constitutionality of the wartime prohibition act.

FUEL SUPPLY SHORT, FRISCO MUST CURTAIL OPERATION TRAINS

Fort Worth, Dec. 3.—It was stated at the general office of the Frisco here today that the fuel supply of that railway system in north Texas is practically at an end and that operations may be seriously curtailed during the next few days.

The Frisco has very few oil burning engines.

EGGS \$1.00 A DOZEN

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Fresh eggs soared to the pinnacle of \$1 a dozen in Chicago Tuesday, while \$4,000,000 were in storage, according to figures in the office of the federal district attorney. Storage eggs sold at 79 cents.

The Illinois fair price committee dropped eggs from its price list. The district attorney threatened indictments for profiteering.

MINE OPERATORS CLAIM THEY HAVE BROKEN STRIKE

Middlesboro, Ky., Dec. 3.—Mine operators in district No. 19, embracing southeastern Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia, claimed yesterday they had broken the backbone of the miners' strike in their district. It was said that at least forty-two union locals of the 200 in the district had accepted the 14 per cent wage increase offer of the operators and approximately 2000 miners had returned to work.

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TELEPHONE 36.

The proposal of Secretary Eberstadt to provide places for taking care of 500 federal students at A. and M. college can not fail to claim the attention of the Bryan business man who is interested in town development. There is nothing that benefits a town more than a good healthy pay roll, and it is a well known fact that 500 federal students would turn loose between \$45,000 and \$50,000 each month, and, further, practically the entire sum would be spent with the business men of Bryan. The possibilities of activities along this line are unlimited because there are thousands of boys who are eligible for vocational training who have not yet given any consideration to the government's offer. Likewise the resources of Bryan and College Station can not fail to appeal to those in authority when properly presented. Thus far but little has been done to encourage the sending of federal students to A. and M., while other schools and towns have made a strong bid for the federal students and are getting them. It has been announced at the vocational headquarters that no more students are being sent here for the reason that there have been slight inconveniences, but an additional hundred such students may be had for the mere asking, especially if it is shown to those in charge that Bryan people are behind the movement and will see to it that the stay of the soldier boys here is pleasant and profitable.

A "Come Back" edition of the Corpus Christi Caller, published on November 27th, is before us. It appears to be everything the motto suggests for it demonstrates beyond a doubt that the storm swept city has come back and is today the same progressive city the people of Texas have known for years, and that it will ultimately attain the coveted goal "the great metropolis of the Gulf country." The Caller edition is made up of fifty-four pages and each page teems with thanksgiving on the part of the citizenship. The frontpiece carries greetings from Governor Hobby for the splendid triumph achieved by the Corpus Christi and Nueces county people in building a city where debris and suffering once held sway.

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Yuletide season is to see to it that some one is made happy. There is no joy greater than that realized from scattering a little gladness along the pathway of those who do not know the joys of luxury.

Houston believes in going after everything that gives promise of benefitting the town, but when she procured the narcotic clinic she made an acquisition that wasn't worth while, and the city health officer has ordered the institution closed and the chief of police has served notice on the numerous patients that they must procure jobs and go to work.

Brenham has shipped a car load of dressed turkeys to the northern markets, and much ado was made over it. If a celebration was staged in Bryan every time Allen Smith ships a car load of turkeys to market there would be no time for other business and the state papers would be filled with pictures of the scenes. Seven cars in one week is the Bryan record.

Scientists tell us that germ diseases have killed more people than the deadliest of wars, but as for us we much prefer to take our chances with the germs, for one thing they are noiseless and we never did relish the thought of a bullet whizzing by or a shell bursting in our wake.

A senate session without a probe into the corrupt methods by which some member of the body was elected would not be regular. Senator Newberry will please stand up and be quizzed.

Supply and demand is given as the reason for the rapid advance in lumber prices, but the suddenness of the realization that the supply was short reads a good deal like a "love at first sight" affair.

After all it may be just as well that the United States is not bound by the entangling alliances imposed by a league of nations until that little task across the Rio Grande is performed.

With a six to eleven cent reduction in the price of a 12-pound sack of flour promised during the next two weeks, there is some encouragement to believe that hot biscuits will come back in fashion within a few years at least.

The relative merits of watches—an Ingersoll and an Elgin—was the subject of a disagreement between two Houston negroes. One has been planted beneath the sod and the other is playing hide and seek with the peace officers.

Will some kind and indulgent person explain why country sausage is selling at 40 cents a pound this year when hogs are hovering around the 13 cent mark, when the same good brand of country sausage sold last year at 30 cents a pound with hogs quoted at 23 cents?

President Wilson's proposal to revise the tax system, reduce the cost of living and alter the tariff laws listen good if he can but induce that unruly senate to enact them into laws.

Kentucky is famous for moonshine, but then what is prettier than moonshine, or better.

Statistics show that the value of ten of the principal crops in Texas for 1918 exceeded \$676,041,000, or \$144 for every man, woman and child in the state, but some of us were evidently not on the mailing list for we did not get the dividend check.

Rumor has it that Joseph Bailey will re-enter the political arena as a candidate for governor of Texas. Bailey is a politician of the old school who neither gives nor accepts quarter when he enters a fight and the fur will fly when the campaign waxes warm.

Mexico officials say the Jenkins case is an internal one which should be dealt with by the Mexican government without foreign intervention, but the trouble is your Uncle Samuel don't trust them to deal fairly towards a gringo.

Other Editors

IDEALISM AND THE PAY OF TEACHERS.

(Houston Post.)

The nationwide movement for better compensation for teachers seems to appeal Professor Mims of Vanderbilt university, a highly esteemed and distinguished guest of the Texas State Teachers' association during the recent convention in Houston.

Professor Mims is especially alarmed at the thousands of desertions of the profession by men and women who have been attracted by the better pay other vocations are offering.

Little can be said in derogation of the beautiful ideals of service and sacrifice to which Professor Mims gave expression, but it is a condition confronting the vast preponderance of teachers, and no theory, however beautiful, can blind us to that condition.

A teacher may carry on in rage, but a teacher can't carry on long on insufficient food. Even the rage are not conducive to good results in the school room, either among teachers or pupils.

The teachers are paid by the public. The public must pay the teacher a living wage or the teacher is justified in seeking other employment. The movement now under way everywhere in the United States is to arouse the public to a sense of obligation to those who operate the most important branch of the public service.

The teacher did not raise the issue of more pay until wartime profiteering brought them face to face with such hardships as insufficient food and clothes, although they were notoriously underpaid before the war when living costs were not half what they are at present.

Professional idealism is all very well up to a certain point, but when it reaches the point of hunger and cold, the only

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THE DENT IN THE DENT.

(Vernon Record.)

The rights of union labor must and will be protected. The extent to which those rights have been imperiled by the ruthless hand of the plutocratic capitalist is revealed in a dispatch from New York. The conduct of the employing dentists in that city has driven the employees in the dental trade to desperation. In fact they have no honorable alternative but to strike.

The consequences of that strike are terrible to think upon. If it be true that the miner's strike has caused Gotham's teeth to chatter, the dental strike threatens a false teeth famine such as will deny to many of New York's unfortunate even the teeth to chatter with.

And consider the affront that these heartless employing dentists have put upon their hard working assistant teeth-founders. They have actually refused to put the union label on every pair of false teeth turned out! O tempora! O mores! When will the right of the working man be recognized?

QUARANTINE RAISED WHERE TERRITORY IS CLEARED OF TICKS

Washington, Dec. 1.—Nearly 50,000 square miles of territory in the south was released today from the federal quarantine against the movement of cattle, this territory having been cleared of the cattle fever tick, the worst enemy of live stock in the south.

In making this announcement the department of agriculture said the total area released this year would be 50,555 square miles, divided between six states. Alabama leads the list with 12,991 square miles placed in the unrestricted area. The others are Louisiana with 9,299 square miles; Texas, 8,847 square miles; Arkansas, 3,130 square miles, and Oklahoma, 4,346 square miles. No releases are ordered in Florida or North Carolina, where active work is going on in preparation of strong attacks next year.

"Alabama's work this year, resulting in the state leading in territory released, is credited to the operation of the statewide tick eradication law which became effective last spring," said the department's statement. "In Louisiana only seven parishes are left under quarantine. It is expected all of them will be fully cleaned up next year and that thus the tick free highway to the gulf made when Mississippi drove out the tick will be greatly widened.

"In Texas gains have been made in a number of areas, including Tarrant county, where the Fort Worth stock yards are located. This means that the Fort Worth stock yards, the great cattle market of Texas and the Southwest, will henceforth be in the free area, and that ticky cattle can not be shipped there unless they go in under quarantine restrictions."

TEXAS PECAN CROP LARGE AND FREIGHT RATES ARE REDUCED

Austin, Dec. 4.—The large Texas pecan crop of this season has brought a reduced rate for nuts in carload lots on federal controlled lines in Texas. This rate is considerably cheaper than the old one, and the Texas railroad commission has extended it to non-controlled lines of the state.

The minimum carload is set at 30,000 pounds of nuts in the shell and the rate applies to shipments of ten miles and over with a graduated scale.

TOBACCO REVENUES EXCEED INCOME ON LIQUORS IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 4.—Revenue receipts from tobacco transactions throughout the Dominion, indicate that the weed is being burned up in increasing quantities since Canada's fighting men returned from overseas. Inland revenue returns for October show an increase of nearly \$500,000 over October of 1918. Total receipts for this October were reported as \$2,767,685.

Tobacco revenue constitutes the largest source of revenue for this department. The income from liquors brought in only \$800,000. Dispatches from London, however, have declared that much more whiskey is being shipped to the Dominion than was exported to Canada before the Dominion went dry.

U. S. DESTROYERS STEAMING TOWARDS GALVESTON HARBOR

Galveston, Dec. 3.—Five destroyers of the United States navy are en route to this port for a ten days visit, according to advices received by Mayor H. O. Sappington. They are under command of Commander L. C. Farley and are coming in the interest of navy recruiting.

COTTON MARKET RESISTS COMBINED INFLUENCES

World cotton market was confronted with one of the most critical conditions ever combining in one day on December 3rd, when Germany threatened a new rupture, sterling exchange went to pieces, Mexican intervention looming up and a bad strike situation, yet cotton resisted splendidly.

JUDGE V. B. HUDSON PASSED AWAY VERY SUDDENLY TUESDAY

Well Known Attorney and Prosecutor Died of Heart Failure at 8 O'Clock Last Night--Funeral Thursday Morning.

From Wednesday's Daily Eagle
Victor Britton Hudson, well known criminal lawyer and prosecutor, died here last night, very suddenly of heart failure. Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morning with Rev. P. T. Ramsey, pastor of the First Methodist church, in charge.

The announcement early last night that Judge Hudson had died proved a distinct shock to his many friends and the citizenship of the town. He was about town as usual yesterday, but last night about 8 o'clock complained that he was out of breath and before any one was aware of his condition, had collapsed and died in a few moments.

Victor Britton Hudson was the son of C. B. Hudson, solicitor general in Georgia and an able lawyer. He was born at Ellaville, Ga., June 3, 1861, and at the time of his death last night was 58 years, 5 months and 22 days old. He received his education in the common schools of Georgia, studied law under his father, and was admitted to the bar soon after coming to Brazos county in 1880. However he taught school in the county for a short time before engaging in his life profession. As a prosecutor Judge Hudson has been most active. He was elected to the office of county attorney and later was elected county judge and then district attorney. It may be said of Victor B. Hudson that he never compromised with violators of the laws of state and nation.

Retiring from public office he took up the practice of law and was just as active in the defense of his clients as he had been in the prosecution of crime. Judge Hudson ranked as one of the leading criminal lawyers of south Texas and enjoyed a large practice.

On January 5, 1886, Victor Hudson was married to Miss Alice Erwin, daughter of L. Erwin, and as a result of this union two children were born, who survive the father. Mrs. Hudson died some few years ago. The children are Mrs. Hattie Lou Evans of Hugo, Okla., and Charles B. Hudson of Bryan. Mrs. Evans was notified by telephone last night of the sudden death of her father, and is now en route to Bryan to attend the funeral. She will arrive some time tonight. Judge Hudson is also survived by one sister, Mrs. John S. Edge, mother of Eugene Edge, of Seabrook, Texas.

Few men in Brazos county have held higher honors than Victor B. Hudson nor have been esteemed more. He was a member of the Methodist church and the Knights of Pythias order. His friends were numbered throughout every community in Brazos county and his fame had spread to adjoining counties.

The funeral was first announced for 4 o'clock this afternoon, but on account of Mrs. Evans' failure to arrive it was decided to hold the funeral at 9 o'clock tomorrow.

The following pall bearers have been announced:

Active—Lamar Bethea, Oak McKenzie, G. D. Osborne, W. C. Davis, J. T. Maloney, J. G. Minkert.

Honorary—H. O. Boatwright, E. H. Astin, George W. Smith, M. H. James, Sam B. Wilson, John M. Caldwell, Ed Hall, J. M. Lawrence, A. M. Waldrop, W. G. Taliaferro, W. E. Saunders and W. W. Harris.

GENERAL STRIKE IS CAUSE FOR A GRAVE SITUATION AT MILAN

Rome, Dec. 4.—The situation at Milan, growing out of a general strike, is grave, according to advices received here today.

STATE PRISON HAS A SUBSTANTIAL BALANCE

Austin, Dec. 3.—Receipts of the state prison system during October were \$62,026, while disbursements were \$103,786, according to the financial statement filed with the governor.

The balance on hand on October 31 was \$854,317. Of this \$726,217 was deposited in the state treasury and the remainder was in various banks of the state.

You Do More Work,

You are more ambitious and you get more enjoyment out of everything when your blood is in good condition. Impurities in the blood have a very depressing effect on the system, causing weakness, laziness, nervousness and sickness.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is not a patent medicine, it is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in Syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs Quinine to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. These reliable tonic properties never fail to drive out impurities in the blood.

Harvest Thanksgiving from our Viewpoint

We are most of us Thanksgiving, Or we should be anyhow; For many special blessings, Through the past right up to now. At all events we're thankful For the business we have had. Shows Brazos is a county Where lots of folks are glad— Glad that so many of our boys Are with us once again, Glad that our dead, now victory-crowned, Gave not their lives in vain.

Kennedy's Cash & Carry Grocery
PAY CASH  PAY LESS

PLANT TEXAS GROWN SEED FOR 1920 CROP ADVISED BY EXPERTS

In an open letter the three branches of the Agricultural and Mechanical college urge the farmers of Brazos county and all Texas to procure first class seed for planting the 1920 crop, which every farmer ought to heed. The letter reads:

"The supply of really first-class cotton seed for planting the 1920 crop in Texas is somewhat limited. More limited this year than normal because of weather conditions in the eastern half of the state which cut the 1919 crop for many of the producers of the best seed. The boll weevil has been bad, boll rot has been prevalent and a great deal of cotton has been left in the fields until the seeds have become damaged and often rotten. Weather conditions have made it difficult also to store cotton seed in large bins without damage from heating. These facts have caused apprehension on the part of many people. Many inquiries are being received as to the source of planting seed. It is the main purpose of this letter to advise Texas planters to look for Texas grown seed and to warn them against the indiscriminate purchase of cotton seed from states east of Texas. Most of such seed is inferior to standard Texas varieties for planting under Texas conditions. The staple will be shorter, it will be less storm resistant, and the yield will usually be less, if this eastern seed is planted. Triumph, Rowden, Lone Star, Truitt and other varieties produced from them such as Mebane, Kasch, Belton, Bennett, etc., represent early, large boll, high yielding varieties that should be largely grown. And under some conditions Acala, Snowflake, Mosier and Meade, representing varieties with better staple, but usually smaller bolls.

"There are two sources of Texas seed of the better varieties. One source is to buy the best seed in the cotton breeding sections in various places in the eastern half of Texas from the breeders whose business it is to produce seed; have a germination test made by the agricultural experiment station at College Station and then plant enough of the seed to obtain a stand, planting a double amount for 50 per cent seed, etc. Choice seed should not be thrown away because of low germination. It still carries the factors for producing superior cotton.

"The other source is to get good farm run seed from Texas counties which have suffered least from weather conditions.

"West and northwest Texas has produced a very large crop of cotton this past season and the seed is usually very sound. This seed may not be as pure as if purchased direct from some seed breeder, but it is far better than seed of inferior varieties grown at too great a distance from the place where it is to be planted. This is a good source of seed and makes importation as unnecessary as it is undesirable."

USE EAGLE WANT ADS

GERMANY DEMANDS REVISED PROTOCOL BEFORE SHE SIGNS

Paris, Dec. 4.—A revision of the protocol of the Versailles treaty is demanded by Kurt von Lersner, head of the German peace delegation, before Germany will sign it.

Responsibility for the sinking of the interned German warships at Scapa Flow, is denied by the Berlin government and it is demanded that the allied claims for indemnity for these ships be referred to The Hague for arbitration.

DIPLOMAS AND SEALS BE AWARDED WORKERS

There will be held a special service at the First Methodist church Sunday night, December 7 at 7:30 p. m., in which all the churches are co-operating.

At this meeting diplomas and seals will be awarded to the workers of our Sunday schools who completed the training course in the school of methods held recently.

A good program is being arranged which will be published later and everybody is invited to attend this evening service.

GINNERS REPORT.

Henry Crenshaw, cotton statistician for Brazos county, reports that there had been ginned in Brazos county up to November 14, a total of 6,240 bales as compared with 20,599 bales ginned to that date in 1918.

Corns 'Tween Toes? Use Easy "Gets-It"

Any Corn or Callus Comes Off Peacefully, Gloriously, Never Fails. It is easy for "Gets-It" to reach "hard-to-get-at" corns, and better yet, it is easy to remove them, because "Gets-It" makes them come



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right off just like a banana peel. You can try to dig or drag out your corns with a knife, or slice them with a "bloody" razor, or use ban-lages and tape and wrap up your toe into a package, but that's the "treat-em-rough" painful, foolish way. Use 2 or 3 drops of "Gets-It" that's the peaceful, sure, common-sense way that never fails. You reach the corn easily with the little glass rod in the cork of every "Gets-It" bottle. It does not hurt the true flesh. Try it, trot and smile! It's a blessing; never fails. "Gets-It," the only sure, guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, costs but a trifle at any drug store. MFD by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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WHY NOT INCLUDE BRYAN IN LEAGUE

Temple, Tex., Dec. 4.—Attempts are being made to organize a Middle Texas baseball league for the season of 1920 and the places most prominently considered for membership are Temple, Belton, Ennis, Marlin, Mart, Mexia, Waco, Lockhart, Waxahachie, Caldwell, Taylor, Navasota, Hillsboro, and Brenham. W. W. Cantrell of this city, manager of the railway clerks' semi-pro team of Temple last season, is one of the leading figures in the movement.

It is proposed to form either a six or eight club league out of the towns named and negotiations will be concluded with representatives of the various places interested along those lines.

TWO DIE AND OTHERS ILL.

Austin, Dec. 4.—Two deaths and several cases of serious illness have been caused in Austin due to drinking whiskey made with wood alcohol, according to reports from local physicians. There also have been several cases of illness resulting from drinking the product of a recipe which provides for a mixture of wood alcohol and gasoline to make "a harmless but intoxicating drink."

F. A. Capps, formerly of this county, now a resident of Arlington, Tex., is in Bryan on business.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 30c.

TREATY OF 1915 IS INVOKED TO PLACE REGULARS AT FIUME

London, Dec. 4.—Italian regulars will occupy Fiume and the territory included in the treaty of London, signed in 1915 by representative of Italy, France, Great Britain and Russia, according to Rome dispatches to the Exchange Telegraph.

The D'Annunzio volunteers will withdraw from Fiume under the terms of an agreement reached as a result of negotiations between London and Paris. The agreement, which it is hoped will solve the Adriatic problem, was prepared in Paris by the American, French and British representatives for submission to Italy, according to private advices.

Polk and Clemenceau are declared to have already signed the agreement.

It is understood that Great Britain is prepared to sign, upon which the agreement will be handed the Italian plenipotentiary in Paris.

The nature of the proposal was not stated, but is said to have been framed with a view of satisfying the people of Italy.

A. C. Williams, of the Coleview community, was a visitor in this city today.

BREAKS A COLD IN JUST A FEW HOURS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Instantly Relieves Stiffness and Distress.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken usually breaks up a severe cold and ends all gripe misery.

The very first dose opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, Pape's!

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Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can expect relief after the first application. Price 6c.

FRANCISCO VILLA CAPTURED REPORT IS NOT CONFIRMED

Report Was Current That Bandit Chief-tain's Own Men Had Him a Captive and Claimed Reward Offered by Government

Juarez, Dec. 4.—Mexican officials here today were without confirmation of the reported capture of Francisco Villa yesterday by members of his own band who were reported as holding him for ransom.

Juarez, Dec. 4.—Francisco Villa has been captured by a force of his own men and is being for a reward from the Mexican government, according to information received here late Wednesday by Superintendent Caballero of the Chihuahua division of the National Railways of Mexico.

Two Villa rebels are reported to have presented themselves at the federal headquarters at Parral and notified the commander there that Villa had been captured and was being held for surrender to the Carranza forces. Details of the bandits' demands have not been learned here, but it is known that a detachment of federal forces has been sent from Parral to the spot indicated by the two deserting Villa rebels.

P. W. Caballero, who received the news, is in Juarez on an inspection tour, accompanying Colonel Paulino Fontes, director general of the National Railways of Mexico. Mexican officials here expressed the opinion that General Gonzalo Escobar, commander of the Juarez district, would proceed immediately to Chihuahua City for a conference with military officials there.

So far as is known the only offer of reward for the capture of Villa has been made by the state government of Chihuahua. This offer has been standing for sometime. Whether the rebels who have offered to turn Villa over will insist upon a payment of the full amount before delivering him to the federal forces, could not be ascertained.

VOLUNTEERS UNABLE TO OPERATE MINES BECAUSE ICE FORMS

Pittsburg, Kas., Dec. 4.—Weather conditions made the operation of the Kansas strip pits practically impossible this morning, a misty rain, formed into ice as soon as it hit the ground, is falling.

Employees of Joslin and Pittsburg street and interurban railway will refuse to haul any volunteer coal miners to work, and have asked permission of the national officers of their union to refuse to haul coal mined by the volunteers.

PROSPECT NEWS.

Prospect, Dec. 1.—It was cold for several days last week, with light rains. The health of the community is very good.

Ernest Claus, of this community, is at the Bryan hospital.

The school here under Barla Risinger, principal, and Miss Tommie Wilson, assistant, is progressing nicely.

There was an interesting game of basketball played at Prospect on Thanksgiving Day between Reliance and Prospect. Reliance defeated the local team.

Mr. Free and family have moved into the community recently.

Mrs. Walter Bullock and family and Barla Risinger were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bonds.

A large crowd gathered at Mr. Beal's Sunday night and enjoyed a delightful singing.

The Sunday school at Prospect is growing. A most cordial invitation is extended to all who will attend.

CO-OPERATION IN MARKETING COTTON CONSIDERED BY CLUB

Belief Was Expressed That Brazos Farmers Are Losing Considerable Each Year From a Lack of Better Marketing Facilities.

County Agent Beason brought before the Commercial club this morning the matter of marketing cotton, saying that in justice to the business interests of the town and fairness to the farmers of the county a plan should be provided whereby the farmers could sell their cotton both on grade and staple. He read from signed reports by hundreds of farmers and business men in towns having such a plan of selling cotton that it had saved the farmers so favored thousands of dollars, added much to the business interests, and greatly encouraged farmers in growing only the best staple cotton for which they may receive premiums ranging from ten to fifty dollars per bale. Reports further showed that one man having 14 bales for which he had been offered only 18 cents, asked the assistance of the market bureau which secured, because of staple, 29 1-4 cents, a saving to the farmer of 11 1-4 cents per pound, or about \$55 a bale.

A sample furnished by Brazos county farmers was submitted showing that Mr. Beers had graded and stapled it on last Saturday, and stated that on account of staple it was worth 1500 hundred points over middling, or bringing the price of such cotton up to 55 cents on the New Orleans market.

The matter was referred to the agricultural committee with request that it report at next meeting.

The question of federal students attending A. and M. College was brought before the body and the secretary was instructed to lend every possible courtesy to the students during their stay in Bryan.

The secretary was further instructed to make investigation of the source of the report to the effect that request had been made for rangers to come to College Station to act as special police during the recent football game.

Also it was proposed that effort be made to avoid the sending out of reports on bad roads unless the condition of the roads justified such notices.

Judge Maloney made report that the county commissioners had ordered a steel span for Pitts bridge, and that the Koppe bridge would be repaired within a very short time.

AIRSHIP STATION TO BE ESTABLISHED ON THE MEXICAN BORDER

Washington, Dec. 4.—The first army airship station on the Mexican border will be organized immediately at El Paso by eight balloon companies, under Lieutenant Byron T. Burt.

As soon as the hangar, now under construction is completed, one of the twin engine airships, recently acquired by the army, will be placed in service and extensive experiments in border patrol work will be conducted.

SIX COUPLES TAKE MARRIAGE VOWS AT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father J. B. Gleissner of St. Joseph's Catholic church is establishing a new record in performing marriage ceremonies. Two weeks ago today he gave marriage vows to four couples at one time, and on last Saturday he joined five couples in the holy bonds of wedlock in a most unique service, but a new record was set today when a ceremony was performed, which united six couples in marriage. Following the ceremony nuptial mass was celebrated, during which the newly married received holy communion and the solemn blessing of the church.

The names of the contracting parties are:

Lawrence Baimonte and Rosa Lampasona; Joe Scarpinato and Anna Tritico; Ross Centina and Lucy Carrabo; Ben Degelia and Irene Megina; Dominic Salvaggio and Vita Falco; Sam Loria and Josephine Pizolola.

A large crowd of friends witnessed the ceremony and offered their congratulations.

SCHEIDEMANN SAYS GERMANY'S PROMISE MUST BE MADE GOOD

Paris, Dec. 4.—"Germany should stand by her word and carry out the terms of the Versailles treaty," says Phillip Scheidemann, former German chancellor, in an interview published in the Echo de Paris.

NEW YORK DRY GOODS. New York, Dec. 4.—Cotton goods were stronger and the demand more active at higher prices. Yarns were firm.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

December

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Make your plans, then work the plans. This bank offers its services to the people of this community for safe and conservative business.

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BUY IMPROVED SEED FOR PLANTING NEXT YEAR SAYS BEASON

County Agent Beason in an interview today suggests that Brazos county farmers co-operate in buying cotton seed for planting purposes during the coming year. He points out that practically all the seed grown in Brazos county have been damaged by excessive moisture or weevils and that in buying planting seed the farmers of the county ought to get the improved varieties. He further suggests that through co-operation considerable may be saved in buying the seed.

"Two years ago when the corn crop was practically a failure, the majority of the farmers of this county had to look elsewhere for seed corn. Through the government and the assistance of one of the local banks a car or more of fine seed corn was brought into the county with the result that last year there was, perhaps, more good corn produced in the county than during any previous year under similar circumstances.

"We are now in a similar situation with respect to cotton seed for planting next year. The excessive rains and insect pests have rendered practically all cotton seed in the county unfit for planting purposes, and therefore, the farmers will have to look elsewhere for dependable cotton seed for planting.

"Other counties being similarly affected are adopting the plan of buying their planting seed co-operatively, usually having some leading farmer or the county agent, to go to those sections of the state where the cotton is best and buying the most dependable seed direct from the farmers with a saving of from \$1 to \$2 a bushel.

"Your county agent advises not only this co-operative buying at this time, when every economy should be practiced, but he also advocates the plan of one variety, and only one, of cotton for each community in order that the seed may be more easily kept pure and improved.

"In this way our farmers may become in the near future seed breeders and seed sellers instead of seed buyers. The opportunity is ours and it is hoped that the farmers of Brazos county will not fail to take advantage of it. Otherwise, seed sharks will get in their work of selling high priced seed with the result that many may fail to get dependable planting seed, and the different communities of the county will be filled with every imaginable variety of cotton.

"Let our slogan be, one variety for each community at least, and let that variety be a tried and dependable one.

"Brazos county should be a leader not only in production of cotton, but also in the breeding of the best cotton. Every advantage is ours. Help put Brazos county first."

John L. Hensarling was in Bryan today from his home at Wellborn.

J. B. Welch, of Wellborn, was a business visitor in town today.

John G. Jones and W. E. Jones, of Harvey, were visitors in Bryan today.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 60c.

EMBARGO ON COTTON SEEDS MEANS LOSS FROM DETERIORATION

Austin, Dec. 4.—"The embargo placed on the shipment of cottonseed on account of the coal shortage is going to result in enormous loss to the of Texas and other states on account of the rapid deterioration of seed as a result of the excessive rains," said a telegram from F. C. Weinert, commissioner of markets and warehouses, to the federal railroad administration.

"Farmers of this state can ill afford to stand the loss; they have had three years of drought followed by a short crop this year. In behalf of the people of Texas I enter a solemn protest."

A. T. Wilson, president of the South Texas Cottonseed Crushers' association also said that the embargo would bring about a great loss of seed.

FAMILY REUNION AT P. L. BARRON HOME GAVE MUCH PLEASURE

More than thirty people thoroughly enjoyed an old-time family reunion enjoyed at the home of P. L. Barron, in the Rock Prairie community.

The guests began assembling about 9 o'clock and remained until late in the day, the time being spent in friendly intercourse and reminiscence by the grown-ups and games and other childish pleasures by the younger set. At high noon those present were treated to a dinner such as only those of the rural districts can set forth. It consisted of barbecued pig, mutton and kid, cakes, pies and all the fixings that go with a country dinner prepared by "mammy and the girls."

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Buchanan and family, Bryan; C. A. Buchanan and family, Bryan; Mrs. Laura Kestler and daughter, Waco; Wingate Barron and family and Mrs. Elizabeth Danahy and W. S. Barron and family of Bryan.

KOPPE BRIDGE WILL BE CLOSED FEW DAYS FOR NEEDED REPAIRS

Announcement was made today by County Engineer Boyett that beginning Monday morning the Koppe bridge would be closed to traffic for repairs, which, probably, would require some three or four days.

This bridge will be hurried to completion and traffic will be opened at the first moment possible.

Joe Kopecky, of Benchley, was among the visitors in the city today.

J. Harris, of the Harris school community, was in town on business this morning.

T. A. Hensarling was in town this morning on business from his home on Route No. 6.

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100 PER CENT DIVIDEND

Special Telegram to The Express.

Burkburnett, Texas, Aug. 27.

The Golden Rod Oil and Refining Company, operating a 1,000-barrel refinery in the northwest Burkburnett field, has declared a 100 per cent dividend. The plant has been in operation since June 10.

THE FOWLER FARM COMPANY
Organized July 26, 1918.

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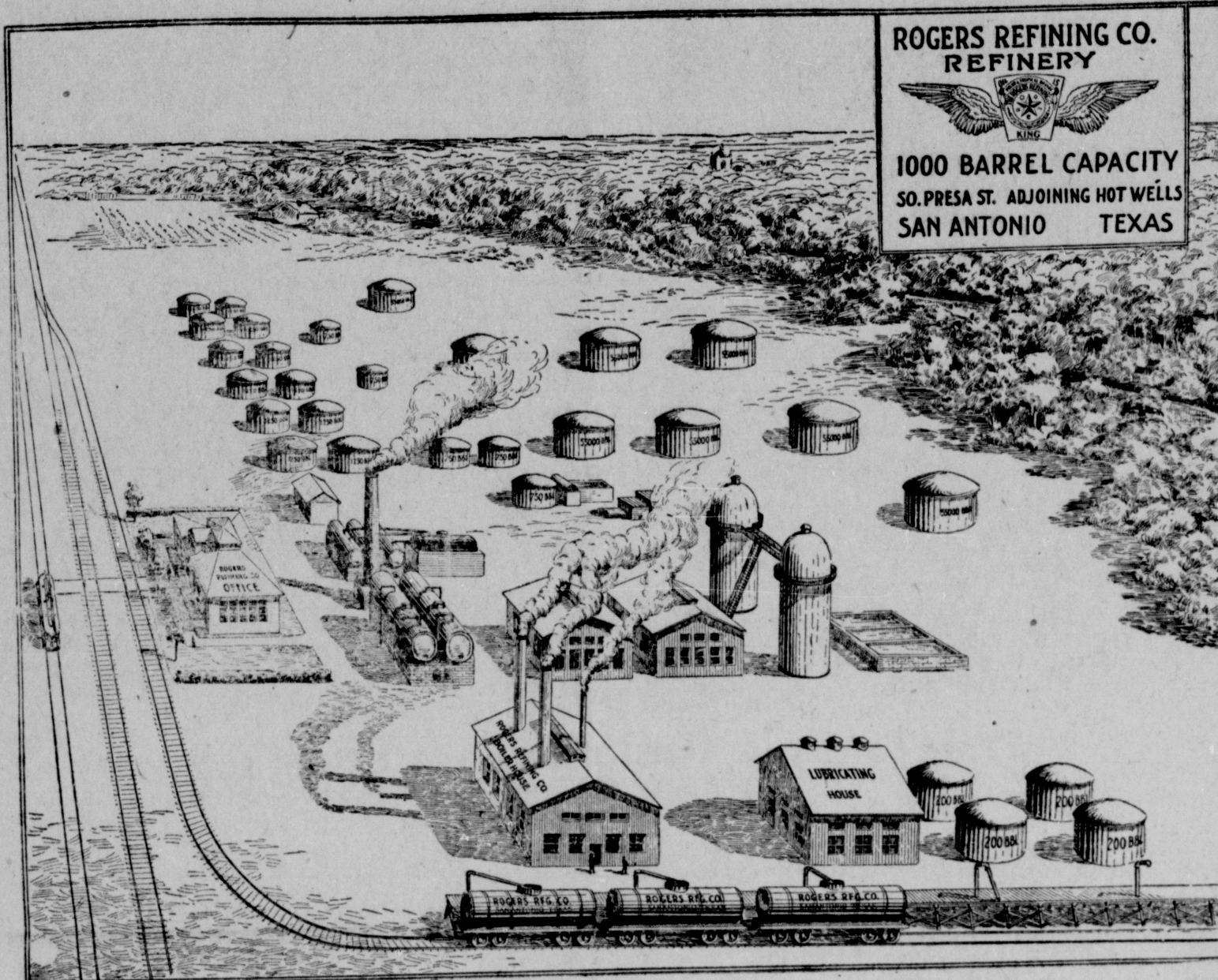
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HERE ARE THE ACTUAL FACTS OF WHAT OTHER TEXAS REFINERIES ARE DOING.

The history of the Texas Company and the producers Oil Company, which produces the crude oil used by the Texas Company, was started in Beaumont in 1902 with a capital stock of \$30,000.00, while today it is a Sixty-Million-Dollar concern. It has earned fabulous dividends for the stockholders, having paid in cash \$25,000,000.00. A person who invested only one hundred dollars in the capital stock originally has received \$25,000,000.00 and still own interest worth more than \$60,000.

The Gulf Company was founded in Beaumont about fifteen years ago, during the rush for oil in that district. Since then it has formed the two companies--the Gulf Production Company, which brings the oil from the wells through hundreds of miles of pipe lines and delivers it to the refiners, and the Gulf Refining Company, which refines the crude petroleum and markets it to the world. The Gulf Company, like the Texas Company, has extended their operations into all the large coastal regions of the United States and Mexico.

In 1914 the Farmers Petroleum Company began operations on a capitalization of \$30,000.00. Good business soon caused it to be increased to \$700,000.00. After about eighteen months of good operation this company split two ways, the American Petroleum Company taking charge of the refineries and pipe lines, while the Republic Production Company took charge of the producing fields. Each of the companies was capitalized at \$1,500,000.00. Later the Petroleum Refining Company was organized, taking the refineries from the American Company. Three of the original stockholders of the Farmers Petroleum Company, holding about \$5,000.00 each of the stock, are now millionaires.

The Humble Oil and Refining Company has passed from a \$400,000 concern into one of \$4,000,000.00 and in addition to its vast oil production acreage it has three refineries--one at Humble, one at San Antonio and one in Oklahoma. This company's stock is said to be worth something like \$1,500.00 a share, besides having paid thousands of dollars in dividends. Just recently it is reported the controlling interest has been sold for \$20,000,000.00.

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Adjacent to San Antonio

1,000 Barrels Daily Capacity

Authorized Capital \$1,000,000.00. All Common. Par Value.

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